

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
BROWNSVILLE DIVISION**

STATE OF TEXAS, *et al.*, )  
vs. )  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *et al.*, )  
Plaintiffs, )  
Defendants. )  
Case No. 1:14-cv-254

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS'  
MOTION TO VACATE  
SANCTIONS ORDERS OF MAY 19, 2016**

The Court, having carefully reviewed Defendants' Motion to Vacate Sanctions Orders of May 19, 2016 to Preserve the Court's Jurisdiction, and the response by Plaintiffs, is of the opinion that Defendants' motion lacks merit and should be DENIED.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Vacate Sanctions Orders of May 19, 2016 to Preserve the Court's Jurisdiction is hereby DENIED.

SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

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ANDREW S. HANEN  
United States District Judge